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Attorney Docket No.: P04480US0/RFH

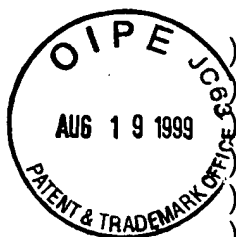
In re Application of

J. PRINGLE

Serial No.: 08/853,604

Filed: May 9, 1997

For: MICROWAVE PYROLYSIS  
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REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY OR AGENT

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I hereby apply to withdraw as attorney or agent for the above-identified application.

The basic reason for this request is that this firm has not been paid for the work that has been done for this client. The undersigned has gone out of his way in attempting to accommodate the inventor but this has been a problem since 1997. Copies of letters dated November 18, 1997; August 31, 1998; September 21, 1998; November 30, 1998; February 19, 1999; April 30, 1999; May 7, 1999; June 11, 1999; July 1, 1999 and August 10, 1999 are enclosed. While this firm has been extremely patient, there are limits, and the applicant has been continuously warned over a long period of time. As is evident from the most recent of the enclosed letters, this situation has reached a crisis point and under the circumstances it would be exceedingly unfair to deny this request for withdrawal.

Approved

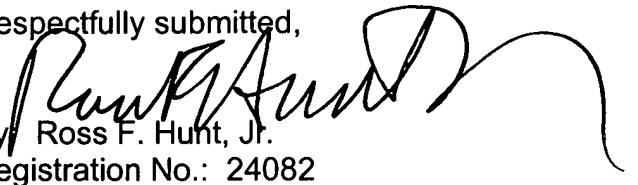
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